



United Cellars



MATARROMERA

Crianza 2018

Elegance and intensity from Ribera del Duero

VINEYARDS

The Tempranillo grape used to produce Matarromera Crianza comes from several estates located in the towns of Olivares and Valbuena de Duero (both in Valladolid). These are La Aguilera, Tejares, Martinete or El Badén. These vineyards are very close to the Douro River and produce a high-quality Tempranillo grape that, year after year, brings its characteristic flavor to Matarromera Crianza.

WINEMAKING

Matarromera Crianza is fermented for 10 to 14 days in stainless steel tanks (28°C) and aged in 225-liter French and American oak barrels from the most prestigious forests. They are fine grain barrels with medium to soft toasting, to show as much respect as possible to the characteristics of the plots from the grapes come. During its aging, the wine will in humidity and temperature-controlled rooms. It is made with 100% Tempranillo grapes, spending 14 months in the barrel, and then aging for another 12 months in the bottle.

TASTING NOTE

Good cardinal core color with abundant violet tones indicating excellent aging potential. Intense and very complex, in which fine aromas of ripe black fruit coexist, in perfect balance with spicy notes and notes of soft toasting of fine woods. A flavorful tasty wine, with a generous mid-palate and an intense and long-lasting finish. Good structure of noble tannins and has the elegance and intensity typical of the best Matarromera wines made from the excellent grapes of Ribera del Duero.

PRESS & ACCOLADES

91 points - vintage 2018 – *Wine Spectator*

“TOP 100 Best Wines of the Year 2021”

90 points - vintage 2016 – *Tim Atkin*

91 points - vintage 2016 - *Guía Peñín*

PRODUCER

Bodega Matarromera

ORIGIN

*Valbuena and Olivares del Duero
Castilla y León, Spain*

APPELLATION

Ribera del Duero

WINERY SIZE

200 Ha

WINEMAKER

Felix Gonzalez

VARIETIES

100% Tempranillo

AGING

*14 months in oak barrels, and 12 months in
bottle*

AGE OF VINES

28 - 32 Years

ELEVATION

730 to 790 m.a.s.l. / 2,300 to 2,500 f.a.s.l.

SOIL

Clayey and limestone loam soil

ALCOHOL CONTENT

14.5 %

MAX YIELD

5,500 Kg/Ha

FARMING

Sustainable practices

PRODUCTION

900,000 bottles